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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Re Application of:)
HIROSHI NOBUTA ET AL.)
Examiner: M. Wallerson)
Group Art Unit: 2616)
Application No.: 08/579,733)
Filed: December 28, 1995)
For: IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE)
AND METHOD : November 19, 1997

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 1997, the time to respond to which having been extended, and including November 19, 1997, by the accompanying Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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